

Important Plants, Animals, and Habitats

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Rare, Threatened, and Endangered Plants

Data from MNAP

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Rank	State Rank	State Status	Federal Status
Orono Sedge	Carex oronensis	G3	S3	T	

Rare, Threatened, and Endangered Animals

Data from MDIFW

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Rank	State Rank	State Status
Brook Floater	Alasmidonta varicosa	G3	S3	T
Creepers	Strophitus undulatus	G5	SNR	SC
Wood Turtle	Glyptemys insculpta	G4	S4	SC
Yellow Lampmussel	Lampsilis cariosa	G3G4	S2S3	T

Rare and Exemplary Natural Communities and Ecosystems

Data from MNAP

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Rank	State Rank
Domed Bog	Domed bog ecosystem	GNR	S3
Dwarf Shrub Bog	Sheep laurel dwarf shrub bog	G5	S4
Raised Level Bog Ecosystem	Raised level bog ecosystem	GNR	S4
Unpatterned Fen Ecosystem	Unpatterned fen ecosystem	GNR	S4

Significant, Essential, and other Animal Habitats

Significant and Essential Habitats and
Significant Vernal Pools from MDFIW

Habitat Type

Deer Wintering Area

Inland Waterfowl and Wading Bird Habitat

Bird Species of Greatest Conservation Need

Primarily from breeding bird atlas and based on county
distribution data. Based on known ranges, these species may
occur in this geographic area if appropriate habitat is available.

Common Name	Scientific Name
American Bittern	<i>Botaurus lentiginosus</i>
American Black Duck	<i>Anas rubripes</i>
American Three-toed Woodpecker	<i>Picoides dorsalis</i>
American Woodcock	<i>Scolopax minor</i>
Baltimore Oriole	<i>Icterus galbula</i>
Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>
Barred Owl	<i>Strix varia</i>
Bay-breasted Warbler	<i>Dendroica castanea</i>
Black And White Warbler	<i>Mniotilta varia</i>
Black-billed Cuckoo	<i>Coccyzus erythrophthalmus</i>
Blackburnian Warbler	<i>Dendroica fusca</i>
Black-throated Blue Warbler	<i>Dendroica caerulescens</i>

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Black-throated Green Warbler	<i>Dendroica virens</i>
Bobolink	<i>Dolichonyx oryzivorus</i>
Brown Thrasher	<i>Toxostoma rufum</i>
Canada Warbler	<i>Wilsonia canadensis</i>
Cape May Warbler	<i>Dendroica tigrina</i>
Chestnut-sided Warbler	<i>Dendroica pensylvanica</i>
Chimney Swift	<i>Chaetura pelagica</i>
Common Loon	<i>Gavia immer</i>
Common Nighthawk	<i>Chordeiles minor</i>
Eastern Kingbird	<i>Tyrannus tyrannus</i>
Eastern Meadowlark	<i>Sturnella magna</i>
Eastern Towhee	<i>Pipilo erythrophthalmus</i>
Field Sparrow	<i>Spizella pusilla</i>
Great Blue Heron	<i>Ardea herodias</i>
Great-crested Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus crinitus</i>
Greater Yellowlegs	<i>Tringa melanoleuca</i>
Horned Lark (breeding)	<i>Eremophila alpestris</i>
Marsh Wren	<i>Cistothorus palustris</i>
Nelson's Sharp-tailed Sparrow	<i>Ammodramus nelsoni</i>

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Northern Flicker	Colaptes auratus
Northern Parula	Parula americana
Pied-billed Grebe	Podilymbus podiceps
Purple Finch	Carpodacus purpureus
Red Crossbill	Loxia curvirostra
Rose-breasted Grosbeak	Pheucticus ludovicianus
Sandhill Crane	Grus canadensis
Scarlet Tanager	Piranga olivacea
Veery	Catharus fuscescens
Vesper Sparrow	Poocetes gramineus
Willow Flycatcher	Empidonax traillii
Wood Thrush	Hylocichla mustelina
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	Sphyrapicus varius

Fish Species of Greatest Conservation Need

Data from MDIFW, DMR, and USFWS. Based on known ranges, these species may occur in this geographic area if appropriate habitat is available.

Common Name	Scientific Name
Alewife	Alosa pseudoharengus
American Eel	Anguilla rostrata
American Shad	Alosa sapidissima
Atlantic Salmon	Salmo salar

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Blueback Herring

Alosa aestivalis

Brook Trout

Salvelinus fontinalis

Sea Lamprey

Petromyzon marinus

Other Species of Greatest Conservation Need

Data from MDIFW, Damsel/Dragonfly Survey, and Maine Butterfly Atlas. Based on known ranges, these species may occur in this geographic area if appropriate habitat is available.

Common Name	Scientific Name
Graceful Clearwing	<i>Hemaris gracilis</i>